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AMENDMENT

Proposed by MR. M'KIM, to the Bill

Supplementary to, and to amend, "an act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage," passed the second day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine, and to repeal an act supplementary thereto, passed twentieth April, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

1 *And be it further enacted, That, when goods, wares, or*
2 *merchandise, imported, and subject to duty as aforesaid, shall*
3 *be re-shipped and transported coastwise, from one district to*
4 *another, in the packages in which the same were imported,*
5 *an invoice, or a copy of such invoice, verified by the additional*
6 *oath required by the fourth section of this act, and certified*
7 *under the official seal of the Collector with whom the entry,*
8 *on the importation of such goods, wares, or merchandise, was*
9 *made, shall be produced at the port to which the same shall*
10 *be transported, and the same inspection of such goods, wares,*
11 *or merchandise, shall be made, as if they had been brought*
12 *direct from a foreign port or place; and if the invoice, verified*

13 as aforesaid, shall not be so produced, such goods, wares, or
14 merchandise, shall be deposited, and remain, in the public
15 warehouse, at the expense and risk of the owner thereof, un-
16 til the invoice, verified and certified in the manner above re-
17 quired, shall be produced; and goods, wares, or merchandise,
18 imported, and subject to duty as aforesaid, may be transport-
19 ed coastwise, to one or more districts within the United
20 States.